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# Carnot Cycle and Heat-Machines: From Applications (Systems and Processes) to Fundamentals (FDOT)

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## Message from the Guest Editor

This Special Issue is also open and connected to other branches of thermodynamics mainly statistical thermodynamics and quantum thermodynamics: an important development emerges recently regarding quantum machines. All these developments are welcomed, as well as entropy and exergy analysis. Topics of interest include, but are not limited to:

- optimization
- FDOT (Finite Physical Dimensions Optimal Thermodynamics)

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